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TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application, please find:

- 1. Amendment in Response to the Office Action (16 pgs);
- 2. Attachments A and B (11 pgs.);
- 3. Two-month Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg. in dup.);
- 4. Check No.: 582463 in the amount of \$225.00; and
- 5. Return Receipt postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on June 30, 2006, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Enclosed is Check No. 582463 in the amount of \$225.00 for the two-month Petition for Extension of Time fee. No other fee is deemed necessary with the filing of this paper. However, if any other fee is required, authorization is hereby given to the Commissioner to charge the amount of any such fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>07-1896</u> referencing the above-identified attorney docket number. A copy of this Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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